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INFO AMCONSUL CALCUTTA

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, CGEN, IN, US

SUBJECT: NEW INDIAN CONGEN CHICAGO AND CONSULAR CONVENTION  
NEGOTIATIONS

REF: (A) NEW DELHI 18239

1. FIVE COPIES OF PROPOSED CONSULAR CONVENTION SENT  
DECEMBER 23 UNDER COVER OF A-6013.
2. NO SPECIAL HANDLING OF THE NEW CONSUL GENERAL DESIGNATE  
CHICAGO SEEKS NECESSARY ON YOUR END. THE DEPARTMENT WILL  
ENSURE THAT HE IS CLEARLY LABELLED AS PROVISIONAL IN THE  
NOTE AGREEING TO HIS APPOINTMENT AS WELL AS ON HIS ID CARD  
AND IN THE LETTERS USUALLY SENT TO THE MAYOR OF CHICAGO AND  
THE GOVERNOR OF ILLINOIS. THE DEPARTMENT HAS LEARNED, HOW-  
EVER, THAT THE PROVISIONAL LABEL APPARENTLY IMPOSES NO  
PRACTICAL LIMITATIONS ON A CONSUL GENERAL IN CHICAGO, SINCE  
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NO PROTOCOL LIST IS MAINTAINED BY THE MAYOR'S OFFICE AND A  
PROVISIONAL CAN PERFORM ALL THE FUNCTIONS OF A FULL CONSUL  
GENERAL.

3. INDIAN REFUSAL OF ACCESS BY CONGEN CALCUTTA TO

NORTHEAST IS AT THE HEART OF THE CONSULAR ISSUE. IN THIS CONNECTION, THE INDIAN DECISION ON CONSUL GENERAL KORN'S PENDING APPLICATION TO VISIT ASSAM WILL BE A MILESTONE. IF THEIR ANSWER IS NEGATIVE, WE MAY WANT TO CONSIDER REDUCING THE CHICAGO CONSULAR DISTRICT. THIS COULD BE DONE MOST CONVENIENTLY IN CONNECTION WITH ACCREDITATION OF THE NEW MAN, BUT COULD ALSO BE DONE AT ANY TIME THEREAFTER, IN VIEW OF HIS PROVISIONAL STATUS.

4. WE WELCOME YOUR THOUGHTS ON THIS.  
KISSINGER

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